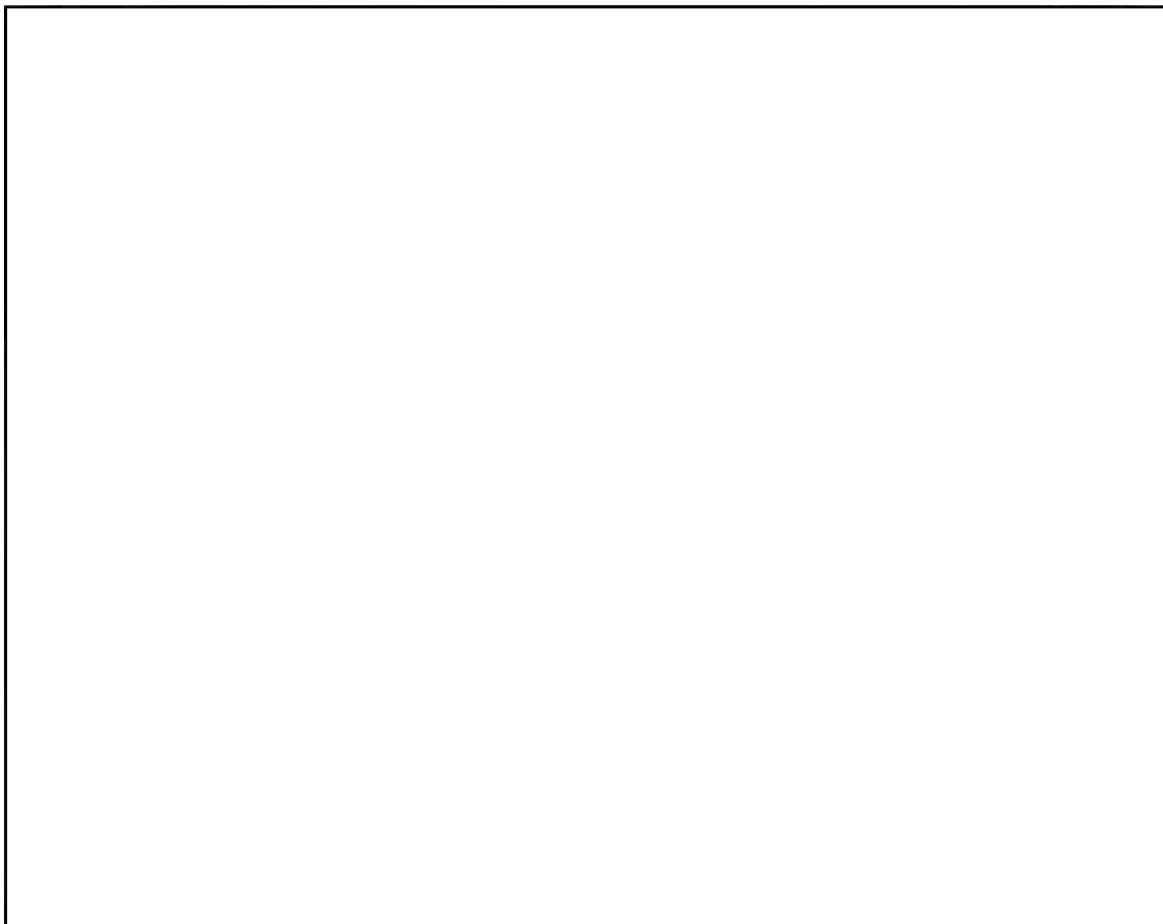


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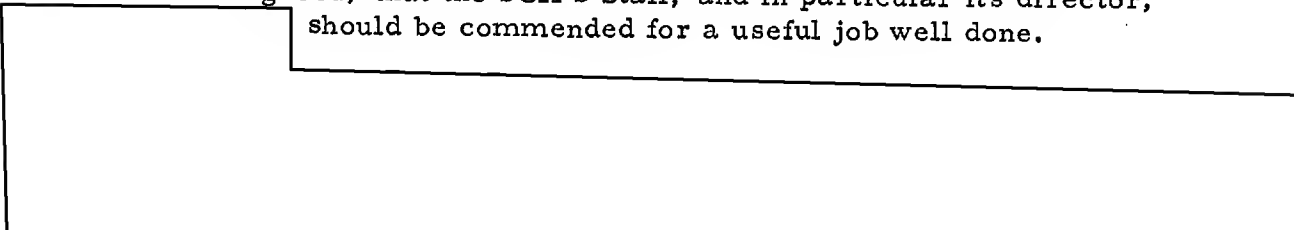
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6. Stage I Report of the Staff for
the Community Information
Processing Study (SCIPS)
(USIB-D-39.7/5, 16 March)

In introducing this item, the Acting Chairman recommended, and the USIB agreed, that the SCIPS Staff, and in particular its director, should be commended for a useful job well done.



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General Carter commented that, while the preparation of this study had taken a long time and a tremendous amount of data had been assembled in the full SCIPS report, the community still had a long way to go in making further progress in this area.

General Carter proposed, in view of the late hour, that the Board might approve recommendations 1, 2, 7 and 8 of the CODIB memorandum in the referenced document, giving subsequent consideration to recommendations 3, 4, 5 and 6.

The DIA member said that he was prepared to accept all of the CODIB recommendations but suggested that, if the Board was not prepared to act on recommendations 3-6, action be deferred on all of the recommendations. General Carter said that he would be willing to consider approving all of the recommendations at this meeting if the other members agreed.

Mr. Borel, as the acting CIA member, as well as the Chairman of CODIB, said that he shared General Carroll's view as to the desirability of acting on all of the CODIB recommendations. He expressed the view that these represented a minimal effort to make progress in this area. Therefore, unless the agencies were prepared to divert some experienced people and resources for work on these community problems, Mr. Borel questioned whether collaborative efforts in this field should be continued.

When Admiral Taylor indicated he was not enthusiastic about the CODIB recommendations since Navy had enough internal problems to work on, the State and acting NSA members proposed USIB defer action to a later meeting.

The Acting Chairman stated that, while he was prepared to support the CODIB recommendations, he would postpone further action until the next week's meeting.

General Carroll stated that he shared some of Admiral Taylor's reservations, but felt strongly that this was a community

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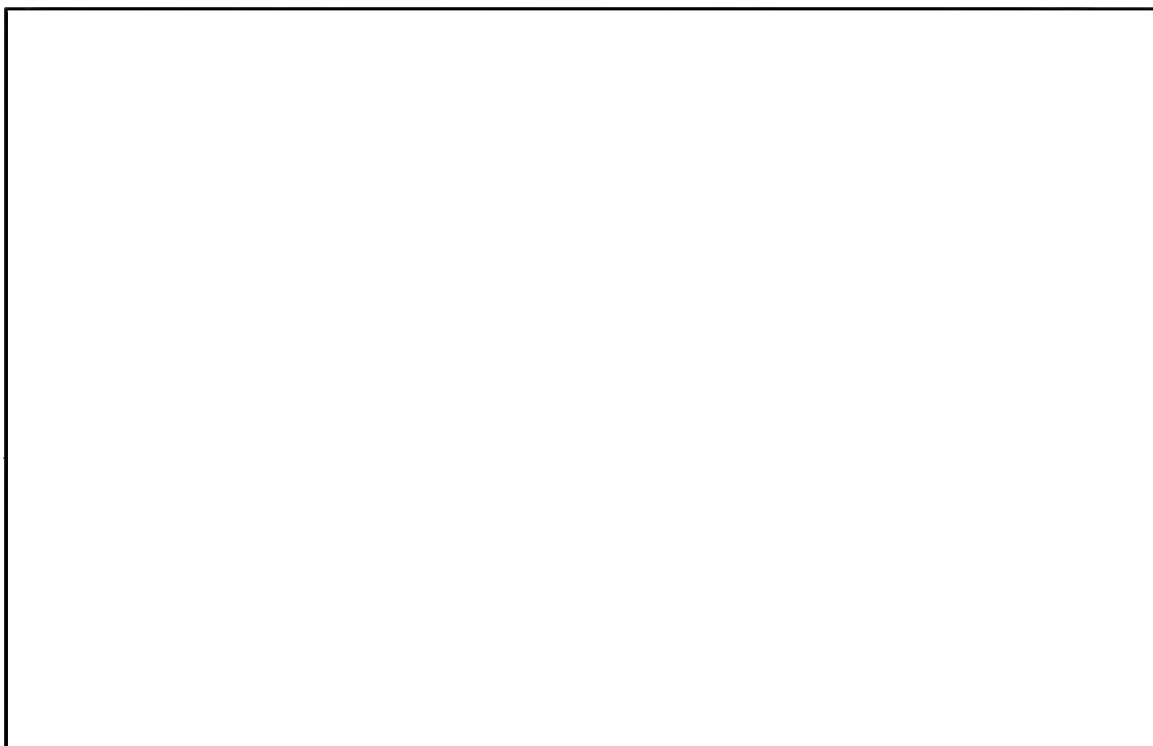
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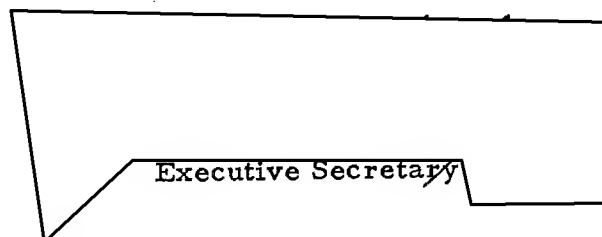
problem that would have to be dealt with on that basis.

The USIB agreed to defer action on the recommendations in the reference document until next week's meeting.



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